

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

CASE NO. 00-6273-CR-HUCK-BROWN

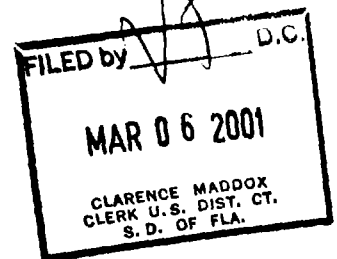
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

ANTHONY TRENTACOSTA,
FREDERICK J. MASSARO,
FRANCIS RUGGIERO,
ARIEL HERNANDEZ,
JULIUS BRUCE CHIUSANO,
ADAM TODD SILVERMAN,
CARLOS GARCIA,
CHARLES PATRICK MONICO,
ANTHONY RAYMOND BANKS,

Defendant.



ORDER GRANTING CONTINUANCE OF TRIAL DATE

THIS MATTER came before the Court by virtue of a status conference held on March 06, 2001. At the status conference, the parties jointly requested that the court continue the trial date in this action. For the reasons presented at said conference and the Court finding that the ends of justice will be served by the setting of said trial as set forth below and agreed to by the parties and that a continuance outweighs the interest of the public and the Defendants in a speedy trial. Therefore it is

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the Oral Tenus Joint Motion to Continue the Trial by all Defendants on the record in open court is hereby GRANTED. Trial in this cause is

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set for the two-week period commencing November 19, 2001, and ending November 30, 2001, in the U.S. Courthouse, James Lawrence King Building, 99 NE 4th Street, 10th Floor Courtroom #6, Miami, Florida.

Calendar Call will be held at 8:30 a.m. on Wednesday, November 14, 2001.

The Court finds that the period of delay from March 06, 2001 to November 30, 2001 and any other trial date set hereafter excludable in calculating the period within which trial must commence in accordance with the provisions of the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. Section 3161, et. seq. It is further

ORDERED and ADJUDGED that all discovery responses and/or pretrial motions shall be filed within the time limitations set forth in this Court's Standing Discovery Order. **A continuance of the trial date in this matter shall not extend the deadline for the filing of motions.** Any proposed motion received after the "motions cut-off date" shall be accompanied by a separate motion for leave to file, setting forth the facts and circumstances for the late filing.

Counsel for the parties in this matter are hereby reminded that, pursuant to Local Rule 7.1(A)(4) (S.D. of Fla.), all motions filed with the Court shall be accompanied by **stamped** addressed envelopes for **all** parties to this action.

In cases tried before a jury, *the proposed* jury instructions and verdict form must be submitted at least ONE WEEK prior to the beginning of the trial calendar. The parties shall submit a SINGLE JOINT set of proposed jury instructions and verdict form, though the parties need not agree on the proposed language of each or any instruction or question on the verdict form. Where the parties do agree on a proposed instruction or question, that

instruction or question shall be set forth in Times New Roman 14 point typeface. Instructions and questions proposed only by the Government to which the defendant(s) object shall be italicized. Instructions and questions proposed only the defendant(s) to which the Government object shall be bold-faced. Each jury instruction shall be typed on a separate sheet and must be supported by citations of authority. Each disputed jury instruction shall also state the basis for the objection(s) at the bottom of the sheet, before the citations of authority. In preparing their requested jury instructions, the parties shall utilize as a guide the Pattern Jury Instructions for Criminal Cases approved by the United States Eleventh Circuit, including the Directions to Counsel contained therein. A copy of the proposed jury instructions and verdict form shall be delivered to chambers at the time of filing, together with a computer disk compatible with Corel Word Perfect version 8.0.

It shall be the duty of the attorney's herein to ensure that no other judge schedules them for a trial that impacts upon or conflicts with the dates set forth above. If any counsel receives a written notice of trial from another judge, in either state or federal court, that in any way conflicts with this trial's scheduled setting, it is the obligation of that attorney to notify the judge immediately so that the judge may reschedule his or her calendar thus leaving counsel conflict free for this case.

Counsel shall submit to the Court a typed list of proposed witnesses and/or exhibits to be presented at trial at the Calendar Call. All exhibits offered into evidence must be pre-labeled in accordance with the proposed exhibit list. Exhibit labels shall included the case number. Labels may be obtained from the Clerk of the Courts.

Counsel are instructed that arrangements for appropriate clothing for Defendants in custody must be made at least seven (7) days prior to the scheduled trial date.

Counsel are further instructed to notify the Court if an interpreter is required at least 48 hours prior to any hearings or trial.

All local requests for Writs ad Testificandum must be filed not later than fourteen days prior to the first day of the scheduled trial period to ensure adequate time for processing. Writs for persons out of the district should be filed twenty days prior to the trial date.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers, Miami, Florida, this 6th day of March, 2001.



PAUL C. HUCK
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Copies furnished to: Honorable Stephen T. Brown
all counsel of record